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**MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Director of Central Intelligence****SUBJECT : Senior Military Personnel Orientation  
(Project USEFUL)**

1. I would like to invite you to welcome again the senior military personnel who will attend the CIA orientation to be held 15 October through 26 October 1956. As you may recall from your participation in this course in September 1955, it is being offered to selected military personnel of the Armed Forces who are now, or will be, engaged in planning for unconventional warfare in support of military operations.

2. Personnel attending the course are of senior field grade and include representatives of all four services. Current duty assignments of this group range from planners at the Joint Staff, Theater and General Staff levels to staff and faculty members of the senior service schools and war colleges. A roster of the class and schedule of the course will be forwarded to you as soon as the roster has been received from the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

3. I feel that the Agency relationships with the Military will be enhanced by providing these officers an opportunity to meet with you and I shall arrange to have them present in Room 153 (Auditorium) of Building [ ] at 0900 hours on 15 October 1956.

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**SIGNED**

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